

Architects Interviewed Re: New Hospital Plan

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Wainwright Municipal Hospital District No. 17 was held at the Hospital, Saturday, December 14, 1946 at 1 p.m.

Members present were—Chairman, Trustee Gould and Trustees McLeod, Gardiner, Dietrich and Bailey.

Minutes of the last regular meeting and the special meeting were read and on motion of Trustee McLeod were approved, Carried.

A Resolution from A.F.U. Local No. 591 requesting that a new hospital be built, was received and on motion of Trustee Gardiner, the Board would be pleased to meet a delegation from the A.F.U. Local No. 591 at the next meeting, Saturday, January 11th, 1947 at the Hospital, Carried.

A letter was received from the Village of Edgerton requesting information as to the approximate cost in taxation should the Village come into the Hospital Area, Moved by Trustee Bailey that secretary for-

Miss Minnie MacFadyen Wed In Wainwright

A pretty wedding took place on Wednesday, December 11th, at 1:30 p.m. in St. Andrew's (Pres.) church, when Miss Minnie MacFadyen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert MacFadyen of Viking was married to Mr. Clarence McGuire of Viking, son of Mr. Owen McGuire and the late Mrs. McGuire of Telford, in civil ceremony, with Rev. A. R. Hancock officiating before an altar decorated with roses of yellow and white baby nuns.

Given in marriage by her father the bride was lovely in a white sheer floor length gown with sweetheart neckline and full lace sleeves. Her only jewelry was a double strand of pearls with matching pearl bracelet, gifts of the groom. Her veil was held with a coronet of orange blossoms and she carried a bouquet of red roses.

Miss Mary MacFadyen, sister of the bride was charming in a floor length frock of blue and white with a lace collar and matching shade caught with white flowers and she carried a bouquet of yellow and pink carnations. Her only ornament was a gold pendant.

Mr. Don Featherstone-hugh supported the groom as best man.

Ushers in the church were Messrs. Robert Parker and William Laird. Mr. Wm. Carrell played the wedding music and Mr. Wainwright Laird sang "I Would Be True" during the signing of the register.

A reception to a small circle of relatives and friends was held at the Stag and Stag Inn, Fox Room in the home of Mrs. C. MacKenzie. For her daughter's wedding Mrs. MacFadyen chose a black crepe dress trimmed with gold nail heads with matching accessories and a corsage of pink roses.

The bride's table was laid with a lace cloth and centred by a three tiered wedding cake flanked with tall white tapers in silver holders. Yellow and white baby nuns completed the decorative scheme.

Out of town guests for the wedding were Mrs. Lundahl of Viking and Miss Jean McGuire of Telford.

After a short honeymoon in Edmonton the young couple plan to reside in Viking. For travelling the bride wore a gold and brown wool dress with fur coat and small green velvet hat.

Public Meeting
Hear
Dorise Neilson
Former
M.P. North Battleford
ODDFELLOWS HALL
WED, DEC. 18th 8:00 P.M.
All Welcome

New R.A.M. Chapter At Wainwright

Some twenty members of the Vermilion Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, went over to Wainwright on Wednesday evening of last week to attend ceremonies in connection with the institution of a Chapter of Royal Arch Masons there. The new Chapter is named the Parklands Chapter and starts off with a fine roster of members. Several Grand Chapter officers were present on the occasion and assisted in the induction ceremonies. After the close of the Chapter the visitors were guests of the local Companions at refreshments which were followed with several addresses.

—Vernon Standard

Public School Hockey

The Time: Saturday, Dec. 14, 1946
The Place: Wainwright Skating Rink
The Event: The first hockey game of the season.

This fast, action-packed game was between Wainwright and Irma public schools. The scoring was general all the way through, and the teams were evenly matched. The winning goal for Wainwright was scored midway through the third period by C. Carter.

The scorers for Irma were: Peterson 2 (Kennedy), Mason 1 (Hockett) and Targett 1 unassisted.

The scorers for Wainwright were: Carter 2, Rasmussen 1, MacGowan 1, Pen 1. All of the Wainwright goals were scored unassisted. The final score Wainwright 5, Irma 4.

We are sorry to say that the attendance at this game was rather poor. We will admit that this one was not very well advertised, but the team spirit of our unassisted support in the future.

—Con.

WEDDING BELLS

CHAS. FRYER
The name of the Wainwright United Church was the scene of a quiet wedding on December 11, when Mary Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Pytel of Fabyan became the bride of William Crabb of Irma.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and Rev. Whelan performed the ceremony.

For her wedding Miss Pytel chose a dressmaker suit of powder blue wool complemented with black accessories. The gown was a simple black and white affair with a corsage of sweetpeas and carnations.

Mr. Frank Crabb acted as best man.

After the ceremony a reception to a few friends was held at the home of the bride in Fabyan.

The bride's table was centred with a three tiered wedding cake surrounded by fern and vases of assorted flowers.

Toast to the bride was proposed by Frank Crabb.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Pytel wore a brown two piece dress with a corsage of sweetpeas. The happy couple will make their home on the groom's farm east of Irma.

Christmas Issue Of Star Next Week

Reserve your space at once. Next week's issue of The Star will be the Christmas issue and will also be the last issue for 1946.

Regular advertisers are asked to have their changes of advertisements ready for pick up not later than Thursday afternoon, one full day earlier than usual. It is likely that every advertisement in the paper will change and it takes considerable time to set type for upwards of 50 advertisements.

Time not advertising regularly, but who desire a Christmas Greeting. Advertisement should phone 45 and reserve space at once. There will be a limit to amount of space available and The Star is fully prepared to help any advertiser in this respect.

There are many special greeting advertisements in the office from which you may pick your choice. The important thing is to let us know early.

Harmony Club Elect Executive For 1947

A number of the members of the Harmony Club met at the home of Mrs. L. T. Torg on Saturday evening, December 14, 1946 to elect the executive for 1947. The meeting opened with the presentation of Mrs. C. Hume in the chair and Mrs. Doris McCuskey acting as secretary. After singing "O Canada", accompanied by Mrs. A. S. Rattray at the piano, Mrs. Hume opened the meeting for discussion regarding the future activities of the Club. After much consideration it was decided to elect new officers and have the club carry on as in the past to be known as The Harmony Club.

The following officers were nominated and elected for the coming term: President—Mrs. D. Dundas, Vice President—Mrs. C. Hume, Secretary—Mrs. A. S. Rattray and Mrs. W. G. McCuskey was appointed in charge of advertising and publicity.

The business meeting was then closed, the next meeting to be called by the President.

A delicious lunch was served by the hostess and a social hour enjoyed during which Mrs. Dundas presented the new executive with a gift from the club as a token of appreciation for her service during her term of office.

B.E.S.L. Ladies Aux. Plan Free Show-Kiddies

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Canadian Legion held their monthly meeting on Monday night last at the Legion Hall. One new member was initiated. Main business of the evening was the final arrangements for the Free show for the kiddies on New Years afternoon which the Legion and Auxiliary are sponsoring jointly. All children are welcome and the show "Finnegon" will be shown.

A letter of thanks from the T.B. committee was received for our donation to them for the Veterans Department of the T.B. Hospital. A visit from our Provincial Organizer is being eagerly anticipated at our next meeting which will be held January 20th, 1947. Ladies please turn out in good numbers for this meeting.

Well kiddies don't forget to come to the show New Years afternoon. Watch the paper for time.

Public Works Com. Of Council Present Report

(Held over from last week)

That work has been done on 8th and West as authorized by Council at a recent meeting.

We consider that we were fortunate in being able to procure the services of a competent operator for the large Caterpillar Tractor and Labourer which were employed on this project. It was necessary also to use a bull-dozer under the existing conditions during which the work was accomplished as a considerable amount of frost was in the ground at that time. Your Committee would recommend that this type of equipment be used to a greater extent in future operations of this nature, as far more satisfactory results are procured when larger equipment is used. Although the finished job on 8th and West has been completed in a more satisfactory manner if done prior to frost being in the ground, yet under the circumstances, your Committee consider it has met with the approval of the ratepayers who filed the complaint on the removal condition of this road.

It is hoped that during the 1947 season, more work of this nature may be arranged for, with the same type of machinery employed.

The cost of this work amounted to the sum of \$139.50.

Respectfully submitted,
LEWIS C. TORY
Chairman—Public Works Committee

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to extend my sincere thanks to the Doctors at the hospital, the nurses and all the staff for their good care and kindness to me during my recent stay in the hospital, and also to my good neighbors and friends who called and sent me fruit and cards.

MRS. BERTHA CAREY

There are more of us who set out to go places than to get somewhere. Business does more than make us a living. It makes the way we live.

WEDDING BELLS

HUTCHINSON—MILLER
Goderich—A pretty wedding was solemnized at the parsonage of North Street United Church at 3:00 o'clock Friday afternoon when Marguerite Milne, eldest daughter of Mrs. George Miller and the late Mr. Miller, was united in marriage to Mr. Alfred Charles Hutchinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hutchinson, Wainwright, Alta. Rev. R. H. Turnbull officiated. The bride was gown in gold wool jersey, with corsage of tea-roses and black accessories. Miss Yerna Miller was her sister's bridesmaid, wearing pastel green wool crepe dress with corsage of pink carnations and brown accessories. The best man was Mr. Frank Young, Goderich.

A reception was held at the home of the bride, Hurn road, Goderich, where Mrs. Miller received her guests gown in blue-flowered silk jersey with corsage of pink roses. Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson will reside in Goderich until the spring, when they will take up residence in Paradise Valley, Alta.

The bride is the bookkeeper at the Alexandra hospital and showers were given in her honor by the nursing staff in the nurses' residence; and by the kitchen staff at the hospital. Her aunt, Mrs. W. P. H. Price, also entertained at a neighbor's shower for the bride-to-be.

"Wilson" Coming To Elite Theatre

The Elite Theatre is proud to play "Wilson" December 20th and 21st. It is the most important event in 20 years of motion picture entertainment. Words won't do justice to "Wilson". This is a picture that one must see to appreciate its real greatness. It has accumulated no less than 267 honours, more than any two top notch motion pictures combined have ever earned.

The world has discovered many things in the last century—the steam boat, the streamliner, the airplane and the radio, but they are mere instruments of death and destruction without Woodrow Wilson's discovery that man cannot live without an international conscience. It is crowded with entertainment from start to finish. The colour is magnificent and the background spectacular. Adv.

Men's Curling Draws

Tuesday, Dec. 17, 9:00 p.m.:
Cowley vs Graunke
Roberts vs Cameron
—Cameron vs Robb

Wednesday, Dec. 18, 7:00 p.m.:
L. W. Smith vs Davison
Turner vs Penby
Pigeon vs Ratray

Thursday, Dec. 19, 7:00 p.m.:
J. Mitchell vs Kleinmeyer
Buckie vs Beesching
Thompson vs Ganderton

Friday, Dec. 20, 7:00 p.m.:
L. W. Smith vs Ratray
Davison vs Turner
Pigeon vs Penby

Saturday, Dec. 21, 7:00 p.m.:
Cowley vs Roberts
Peterson vs Cameron
Renwick vs Kleinmeyer

Sunday, Dec. 22, 7:00 p.m.:
L. Mitchell vs Ganderton
Beesching vs J. Mitchell
Thompson vs Buckie

Monday, Dec. 23, 7:00 p.m.:
Reynolds vs Koch
Fairburn vs Carl
Graunke vs Ratray

Tuesday, Dec. 24, 7:00 p.m.:
Free Xmas Eve, Xmas Day and Boxing Day

Clip this draw notice and save for reference.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The C.N.R. Station Restaurant will be closed on the public on Christmas and New Years Eve.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. A. Dietrich of Fabyan wish to announce the engagement of their daughter Clara, to Mr. John Lawley of Toronto.

The marriage will take place in St. Michael's Cathedral, Toronto on Saturday, December 28th.

Workers see too much misery—management too little.

M.D. App't Enumerators For Polling Divisions

The Council of the Municipal District of Wainwright No. 17 met at the Council Chamber of the Municipal District on Thursday, December 12, 1946 at 10 a.m. Councillors Dallyn, Spencer, Sutherland, Taylor, Smale, Golding and Archibald were present. Reeve Sutherland in the Chair.

Moved by Mr. Taylor that the Minutes of the meeting of November 14, 1946 be adopted as written. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Smale that the accounts as approved by the Finance Committee and subsequent accounts as approved by Council amounting to \$3,705.01 be passed and paid.

Moved by Mr. Spencer that the correspondence from the Royal Alexandra Hospital re account of Mrs. Mary LeeMaster (deceased) be tabled. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Sutherland that the Statement of Receipts and Expenditures for month ending November 30, 1946, be accepted as read and incorporated in the minutes. Carried.

Further to Motion No. 383 of November 14, 1946, accepting the resignation of Miss H. Klassen, Accountant of the Municipal District, a token of esteem was presented to Miss Klassen by the Reeve on behalf of the Council and Secretary-Treasurer, the District Agricultural and Field Supervisor. In his remarks the Reeve expressed the appreciation of the District for the work so faithfully performed and wished Miss Klassen very best wishes for a happy and successful future.

Moved by Mr. Spencer that Miss P. M. Spence be engaged as stenographic bookkeeper as from January 1, 1947, as per the secretary's recommendation. Carried.

Correspondence was read from the Supervisor of Municipal Hospitals and order signed by the Minister of Health dated December 2nd, 1946, that Township 42, Ranges 1, 2 and 3 West of the 4th Mer. be attached to the Provost Municipal Hospital District No. 17 as from January 1st, 1947.

Moved by Mr. Smale that the following appointments and place of voting for Division 5 be approved: Polling Division 1, D. R. O. Joe Hill, Enumerator George Clynworth, Place of voting: Granddale School.

Polling Division 2, D. R. O. Frank Redmond, Sr., Enumerator Walter Erickson, Place of voting: Battle Hill School.

Polling Division 3, D. R. O. Harry Pugh, Enumerator Merril Rubles, Place of voting: Giles School.

Polling Division 4, D.R.O. Ted Goddard, Enumerator Clarence Plaxton, Place of voting: Plaxtonville School.

Polling Division 5, D.R.O. Vernon Templeton, Enumerator Campbell Templeton, Place of voting: Battle Creek School.

Moved by Mr. Golding that the following appointments and place of voting for Division 6 be approved: Polling Division 1, D.R.O. W. Rathwell, Enumerator J. Veitch, Place of voting: Mayfield School.

(Continued on Page Six)

Wainwright Days Held Last Week

The traditional "Wainwright Days" were held again this year being sponsored by the business men of Wainwright.

Wednesday and Thursday, December 11th and 12th were the dates set aside for this occasion and due to extremely cold weather that swept over this part of the Province the days were not so successful as in years past.

Santa Claus visited Wainwright during both days in the afternoon, complete with small sled and miniature houses. Many a child was suffering the effects of too many peanuts for two or three days after.

Free picture shows both afternoon and evening were the main attraction this year. The pictures shown were "Face of Marble" and "South of the Rio Grande" both children's pictures which appealed to the younger set of the district.

As an example of the treats given away, Mr. P. May, owner of the Elite Theatre, reports that he swept up five cent pieces of gum mints after the show. Just how many kids it would take to make that many shells is anybody's guess. It would be considerable.

Through the kind co-operation of Calgary Power the streets were all decked out in their gay colored lamps. The stores in town were well lit and special window displays were arranged for this festive celebration.

One thing was sadly lacking in this year's display and that was the short notice in which the carnival was advertised. It appears that the time just sneaked up on the committee in charge, and before they could get all things attended to the days were upon them.

All in all the people who did find it convenient to visit Wainwright, on December 11th and 12th went back to their homes with the feeling that their patronage to Wainwright during the past 12 months was really appreciated.

W.I. Offices Filled For 1947

The annual meeting of the W.I. was held at the home of Mrs. Fick on Thursday, December 12th. There were 17 members and one visitor present. Mrs. Symes, president, was in the chair. Secretary's report was given showing how money was raised and spent in the betterment of the community. Officers elected for the ensuing year were: President—Mrs. Symes, 1st Vice President—Mrs. Smith, 2nd Vice President—Mrs. Kowalschuk, Secretary—Mrs. MacDonald, Treasurer—Mrs. McNally.

Directors—Mrs. Smart, Mrs. Torrance and Mrs. Nordstrom. Sick Committee for January—Mrs. DeBellek and Mrs. Smart.

Publicity—Mrs. Wilburham.

The next meeting is to be held on Thursday, January 9th, 1947 at the home of Mrs. L. W. Smith. Hostesses Mrs. Crockett and Mrs. Carrell. Raffie gift Mrs. Symes. Roll call "New Years Resolutions".

EXPLORERS NOTES

Friday evening, December 13th, the Explorers group had their regular meeting in the Sunday School room of the Presbyterian Church.

A good crowd was there in spite of the cold weather.

The Christmas party plans were made and the girls hope that all mothers and friends will plan to attend on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Explorers and C.O.I.T. evening. Keep this date open mothers and come and make this a very successful Christmas party.

Christmas Seal your Christmas mail.

Give Canada Savings Bonds

The Patriotic and Practical Gift



Space donated by the
BREWING INDUSTRY OF ALBERTA

Announcement

I wish to announce that the Wainwright Auto-Body and Paint Shop will be closed during the Holiday Season from December 24 to January 2nd.

Wainwright Auto-Body & Paint Shop

E. Deleff Located in Leo's Service Garage
Wainwright Phone 124 Alberta

FOR A COMPLETE ---

Auction Sale Service

Book your sale with

E. BELL
License No. 232-46-47
PHONE 127 or 146

R. FOLEY
License No. 236-46-47
WAINWRIGHT

Rentrew Cream Separators and Stoves

Shur Gain Hog Feeds

GUY TORY

COCKSHUTT FLOW CO. ALLIS CHALMERS HUMLET CO.
HART PARR AND MINNEAPOLIS-MOLINE TRACTORS
WAINWRIGHT PHONE 8 ALBERTA

Cream of the West
FLOUR
Best HARDFEST WHEAT
MAPLE LEAF
MILLING COMPANY LIMITED
DEALERS NAME
PATTERSONS DEPT. STORE
WAINWRIGHT AND DISTRICT CO-OP
ASSOCIATION LTD.

HEATH

Pierre Touchette is the owner of a new motor cycle which he expects to use on his week-end trips some from Chauvin.

Mr. O'Connor has been in the district taking harvest statements for the F.F.A.

Children of the Mission Sunday School are taking part in the special Christmas program at the Mission Hall on Sunday afternoon. Their parents will be there to enjoy their efforts and a welcome is extended to any who wish to attend.

Christmas service will also be held in St. Patrick's church on Sunday at 4:15 p.m., but owing to his recent illness the Venerable F. S. Tackaberry will not be present as expected.

Several small school children are on the injured list this week. Lenore Rajotte with a cut arm, Terry Herbert with frozen toes and Carleen Pilgrim with a broken arm. We hope they will all be well enough to have a very good time at the Christmas program in their schools this week.

SSHEEPSKIN FLATTS

After working at Dawson City for the past two months, Mr. Jack Maclean returned home on Saturday last. Mrs. Mac Templeton is laid up with a bad leg, we wish her a speedy recovery.

We offer congratulations to Mrs. and Mrs. A. Drewick on the birth of their daughter.

We wish the new bride and groom Mr. and Mrs. H. Bowers (nee Catherine Monaghan) a long and happy married life.

The young people attended the dance at Triangle on Friday last and all had a good time.

A surprise party was given Mr. and Mrs. Campbell Templeton on Wednesday last. Cards were played and an excellent lunch served. All going home in the early hours of the morning after having a very good time.

WHITE CLOUD

The Ladies Welfare Club held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. A. Dickout with nineteen members and several guests present. Gifts were exchanged in the usual way. Christmas carols were sung and a very nice lunch was served.

Mr. Alec Yeggo left on Saturday to spend a month in New York State visiting his brothers and sister.

Mr. Ronnie Babb is spending Christmas with his grandmother, Mrs. J. H. Myer of Ponoka.

GERALD

The December meeting of the Mission Band was held in Gerald school with Lucille Deyell presiding. Chapter III of "Sera of the Punjab" was reviewed. Election of officers resulted as follows: President—Della Christopherson; Vice President—Palma Christopherson; Sec.—Clara Campbell; Treas.—Lucille Deyell; Press Sec.—Shirley Christopherson. Lucille was hostess.

On Monday evening, December 16th, the Farm Forum meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Perkins with 19 present. The subject, heard on the radio and discussed by the members was "What About Chemurgy". Mr. Robblee, District Agriculturist and Mr. Maddey, municipal field supervisor were both present at this meeting and gave some timely hints on different phases of farm life. Mrs. Perkins served lunch at the close of the meeting. The next Farm Forum meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Borch on January 8, 1947.

The Gerald Club met for their Annual meeting on December 12th, at the home of Mrs. D. Rattray. Sr. Thirteen members were present. Mrs. L. Myggland presided. A donation of \$10.00 will be sent to the Millar Fire Fund. All officers were re-elected with Mrs. L. Myggland as president; Mrs. C. Gullekson vice president; Miss A. Zehnder sec.-treas.; Mrs. D. Rattray, Sr. and Mrs. D. Rattray, Jr. Flower Fund; Mrs. R. Deyell Bazaar convener. Mrs. C. Gullekson was in

EDGERTON

Last week the weather was very cold consequently not very much happened and most people did not get out more than they had to.

The Ladies Greeting Club held their meeting Tuesday to elect Ship and draw up the Rink. Quite a number of the High School girls are curling with the seniors this year so that there will be more Rinks than usual.

Mr. and Mrs. Warnock have moved their town home to winter and are staying in the Aylesworth house.

Mrs. T. Roberts received the bad news Sunday that her mother had suffered a stroke and was in hospital at Owen Sound. Mrs. Roberts left on the liner Sunday night.

Among city visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Bob McKay and Mr. Geo. Sawyer.

There is now a night operator on duty at the C.N.R. depot from midnight to 8 a.m. to take care of travellers using the Continental trains.

PELICAN

There was a very good crowd out for the National Film Board show at Pelican on December 3 and all enjoyed a fine selection of pictures.

We are pleased to hear that the well which Wilfred Doucette has drilled for Joe Belanger is a success. Mr. Doucette is now drilling a well for Mrs. Egan.

Pelican Rainbow U.F.W.A. met at the home of Mrs. R. Belanger on Saturday, December 14. In spite of the cold, twelve members and one visitor were present. Christmas gifts were exchanged among the members. Mrs. Aasen and Mrs. F. Belik were chosen as delegates to the Convention in Calgary. The Convention resolutions were discussed and copies given the delegates for further study. It was decided to wait till the January meeting after the Convention to sign up members again and to elect a new slate of officers.

This meeting will be on Jan. 28 at Mrs. H. Moser's.

We are sorry to report that Marie Belik was taken to the Wainwright hospital on Saturday. We hope that the doctors will find it is nothing very serious, and that she will be home soon for all the Christmas festivities.

The joint Empire-Pelican Christmas party will be held at Pelican on Friday evening. How about higher temperatures, Mr. Weatherman?

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. C. Heil on the birth of a daughter at Provost on December 8th.

Mr. Aasen and Donald Cornfield returned on Wednesday night from their hunting trip in the Edson and Marlboro districts. They had tough luck in that the big bull moose which Mr. Aasen shot was diseased and inedible. Better luck next year, fellows.

charge of the contest which was won by Mrs. C. Borch and Miss A. Zehnder won the gift of the month. An exchange of Christmas gifts was held, as each member drew her gift from a Christmas barrel. Then all enjoyed the delicious lunch served by Mrs. Rattray at a gaily decorated candle lit table.

Mr. K. Greenway left on Saturday, Dec. 7th, for a visit with his folks at Victoria, B.C.

Miss E. MacDonald and the pupils of Gerald school are planning a concert for Friday evening, December 20, in the school.

Public Notice

For all your heavy moving of buildings or machinery contact us and we guarantee a first class job.

Contact... **W.B. Mix**

Phone 166 Vermilion
We pay all phone calls on contracts over \$50.00.
19-2

PROTECT YOUR INVESTMENT BUY INSURANCE

All Insurance Handled But Life

3 Small Houses For Sale

Armishaw & Sons

Valuator — Insurance — Real Estate — Rentals
List your property with us for sale or rent
Wainwright Phones: Office 10, Res. 74

GILT EDGE

Report of the W.M.B. of the Gilt Edge Presbyterian Church for the year ending December 1946.

Two new members united with us making a membership of nine. Ten postings were made.

Expenditures as follows:—

For quilt material	\$ 6.28
This quilt was made and given to the Deaconess, Miss Farris.	
For the Glad Tidings	1.40
Transportation on boxes of used clothing to Norway	10.00
Trans. of 45 qts. of fruit	6.65
(To Indian Reserve in Sask.)	
To Presbyterian Treasurer	40.00
Money on hand	4.10

Total amount taken in \$97.40
I take pleasure in extending Christmas greetings to all the members.

THE PRESIDENT
Mr. Walter Rathwell and Miss Anna Penning of Mayfield District were united in marriage on Nov. 8th. This came as a pleasant surprise to their many friends and a number gathered at their home the evening of Nov. 27th to extend their congratulations and best wishes for their happiness through life. About sixty guests were present from Wainwright and Gilt Edge. Many more would have been there if the weather had been more favorable. They all report an enjoyable evening and were glad they had braved the snow storm to be there.

SPECIAL GRADE TURKEYS
UP ONE CENT A POUND
PRICES BOARD SAYS

To conform to recent changes in turkey regulations enacted by the Department of Agriculture, Wartime Prices and Trade Board has announced a price increase of one cent per pound for special grade young toms and hens. The change came into effect on December 4th, and allows wholesalers to increase their buying and selling prices by the stated one cent per pound.

The resultant increase at the consumer level on this grade will be approximately one cent per pound. Maximum prices on all other types of poultry will remain unchanged.

The Board has also suspended regulations which prevented purveyors of meals from buying more than a seven-day supply of turkey. This action was taken to allow restaurants to stock turkeys which are now coming in from the United States.

It's not giving men their heads that help them but giving them our hearts.

An open meeting of the Bee-keepers Association

will be held in the
I.O.O.F. HALL ON

Saturday, Dec. 21

AT 2:30 P.M.

Call in and join the Association and Order Your Bee requirements through us.

Fresh Fruit & Groceries
Good Meals—Good Rooms
Clean Beds
Meals at All Hours

Empress Cafe
Quon Hall—Proprietor
Corner of First Ave. & Main St.

REPAIRS
LATHE WORK
PARTS MADE
GUNSMITH
For general small item repairs bring them to—

Central Repair Shop
M. Michon, Prop
Opposite Tony's Garage

Announcement

We wish to announce the opening of our Insurance & Real Estate Office on Main Street in the Telford Block on Monday December 9th, in the space recently vacated by Dr. H. C. Wallace. For Your Insurance Needs Consult—

F. J. McLeod
Wainwright Alberta
18-12

Exide or Globe-Lite Batterys

Give A Sure Start

ON COLD MORNINGS

Priced **\$9.95 and \$12.45 up**

Have One Installed Now

Tony's Service Station

cor MAIN & FORTH Phone 81 WAINWRIGHT

A Bargain House

Nice Stucco House, built in porch—situated 4 Ave. East. 6 rooms, 50 ft. lot, \$3,000.00 terms arranged 1/2 cash and balance as rent.

1/2 Section, 6 miles North of Wainwright Deepwell with windmill, good stables, hog pen, hen house and good 5 room house for \$6,720.00. Can arrange terms.

IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR A GOOD BUY SEE—

S. R. Bowerman

Next door to the Liquor Store
Wainwright Alberta

We Pay Top Prices For Live Or Dressed Poultry

FOR THE CHRISTMAS SEASON

Agents for Swift Canadian Co. Ltd.

We ship every Tuesday. Poultry must be in by Tuesday noon (12:00) for each week's shipment.

Service Meat Market

Santa Didn't Disappoint Us

he unloaded his pack at our store leaving a nice line of gifts and toys on display.

SEE OUR SELECTION FIRST.



ATLAS LUMBER CO. LTD.

PHONE 57 F. C. GLAUM

Gifts For All

TOASTERS — IRONS — RADIOS
FLASHLIGHTS — BED LAMPS
ELECTRIC CIGARETTE LIGHTERS
HAND-CHIEF ELECTRIC COOKERS
TRILIGHTS — BRIDGE LAMPS
RECORD PLAYERS — BATTERY BOOSTERS

PRECISION RADIO Co.

"EVERYTHING ELECTRICAL"
Phone 115 Wainwright
Member Associated Radio Technicians of Alberta

BUFFALO CAFE

CONFECTIONERY

High Quality Food — Prompt Service

A place to meet your friends and dine in clean, warm, comfortable surroundings.

NOW UNDER MANAGEMENT OF
W. J. (JIMMIE) WING

OPEN 7:30 A.M. TO 11:30 P.M.

BUFFALO CAFE

James S. er, P rep.

Wainwright Phone 33 Alberta

The Wainwright Star

W. C. HUFFINGTON
 Editor and Publisher
 This Newspaper is a Member of Weekly Newspaper Advertising Bureau.
 Member Canadian Weekly Newspaper Assoc. and Alberta Press Assoc.
 PUBLISHED EVERY WEDNESDAY MORNING
 at the Star Building, Main Street, Wainwright, Alberta.

WAINWRIGHT, WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 18th, 1946

THE HOSPITAL ADDITION

It was with heartfelt gratitude that we read in the last issue of the Star that the hospital board has appointed the new architect for the addition that is to be added to the hospital in the near future.

The hospital accommodation in Wainwright has been critical during the past three or four years and with the new addition that is planned it is expected that it will be large enough to handle any and all types of cases for considerable time to come.

At the present time there is only one district that is not in favor of entering upon the hospital scheme and that is the district lying near Irma. Whether this is only the wishes of a few high pressure business men in that town it is not known, but rumors have it that only the town itself does not want to enter into our hospital district. It seems that the rural residents of the district are favorably impressed with entering into the Wainwright Municipal Hospital District, and that salesmanship on the part of interested parties residing in Irma are doing their best to give the impression that the whole territory is not in favor with the proposed set-up.

This is one point that should be cleared up before any further building is done on our present hospital. If the foregoing is true, then it is only a matter of time before the western portion of the M.D. of Wainwright will join into the district. If it is not true, then it will be up to the Irma residents to prove their intentions. There is little value in planning for today only. Planning such as is to be done with regard to the addition to a hospital must be made with an eye to the future, looking ahead 10 or 20 years.

There are many residents of Wainwright who can remember the hospital idea in the nucleus stage and remember very vividly the opposition there was to the establishing a municipal hospital here, and many recall the few ratepayers who opposed such a step in 1928, because the taxes would be too high. During the past 18 years some of the same people who raised quite a fuss about the hospital at the outset have benefited by the very same institution, even to the extent of being alive today.

At the time of writing this editorial it is not known what actions have developed recently. The Board met in regular session Saturday last, and no doubt it will appear in other columns of the paper.

There is one thing for sure, and that is, the hospital board deserve special recognition for their work thus far in outlining the new addition. Much work has to be done before the sod can be turned next year. It will take time for the architects to prepare the plans, time will be taken for financing, as well as time will elapse before many of the other problems that arise in a venture of this sort are ironed out.

What an enlarged hospital will mean to Wainwright in enlarged trading area is only our guess. We foresee the time when Wainwright will be a centre or hub of a distance radiating for a distance of 50 miles all around. If this dream should ever come true, and we have every reason to believe it will, the time, money and effort expended now will be very worth while.

Wainwright has the opportunity to become the medical centre of that area. It depends on how quickly we act and how soon provisions are made for that opportunity whether we will lose out to smaller hospital areas, with hospitals in the neighboring towns and villages, or whether it will be one good hospital with all the advantages that a large hospital can bring, centred in Wainwright. We'll hope for the latter.

Are You Sure of Your Seed?

Scientifically Conducted
GERMINATION
and Field Purity
TESTS
 Free of Charge
NATIONAL GRAIN COMPANY LTD.

No Soap ? Why Worry

Send your soiled clothes to the Star Laundry and we will send them home fresh and clean.

Star Laundry

(18-11) A. H. DARLING, Prop.

Treat the family to a

New Radio
Xmas Morning
 Battery and Electric models now available in the popular Philco line. Price starts at \$28.00 up

TORY and PEACOCK

Queen & Third Wainwright
 Agent for JOHN DEERE full line of Machinery and Repairs

Hints for the Household

FOR THE DAYS THAT FOLLOW CHRISTMAS

Christmas is more than just an other holiday. The glow of its candles and the warmth of its spirit linger with us for many days—it is the high light of the year. Its cheer is contagious and may be spread around our homes at this Yuletide season in many different ways and places. It may be found on the mantel, in the window, at the door and in the food. The colour combination of red and green creates that festive feeling.

The home economists of the Consumer Section, Dominion Department of Agriculture have a few colorful suggestions for the days that follow Christmas. When planning meals for this period, it is well to keep in mind those cloyed appetites.

DINNER MENU FOR DAY-AFTER

Tomato Juice Cocktail
 Yuletide Tongue in Cranberry Sauce
 Scaloped Potatoes, Beans or Peas
 Apple and Cabbage Salad
 Lemon Snow
 Holly Sauce
 Cookies

Tea
 About twenty minutes before the potatoes are cooked, sprinkle the top with grated cheese—it adds a tangy flavour. To give a holiday flavour and appearance to an everyday dessert a few drops of oil of peppermint may be added to the Lemon Snow, which has been tinted a delicate green with food colouring.

In most homes there is usually a second appearance of the turkey as "cold slices". The family will enjoy them much more if served a couple of days after Christmas, with a change in the interval. A few individual moulds of cranberry jelly tucked away in the back of the refrigerator, will quickly dress up the left-over turkey. They may also be used with a salad, to help carry through the colour scheme of red and green.

YULETIDE TONGUE

1 1/2 lb. beef tongue, fresh or pickled
 1 teaspoon pickling spice, tied in cheesecloth bag
 1 onion
 1 carrot
 2 celery stalks

1/2 cup brown sugar
 1/3 cup molasses
 1/4 cup vinegar
 1/4 cup water
 1/2 teaspoon whole cloves
 1 1/2 inch stick cinnamon
 2 cups cranberries

Wash tongue, cover with boiling salted water, if fresh. Add no salt to pickled tongue. Add pickling spice, onion, carrot and celery stalks. Simmer until tender, about 3 to 4 hours. Remove skin while still hot and trim. Combine sugar, molasses, vinegar, water and spices. Bring to boiling point. Pick over and wash cranberries. Add to syrup and cook slowly until tender. Put through sieve. Place tongue in shallow pan, and over it pour the spiced cranberry sauce. Bake in a moderate oven 350°F for 30 to 40 minutes, basting frequently to form a glaze. Six servings.

HOLLY SAUCE

2 tablespoons sugar
 1 teaspoon cornstarch
 Pinch of salt
 2 egg yolks
 1/4 teaspoon vanilla
 1 1/2 cups milk
 1/3 cup maraschino cherries, coarsely chopped

Mix sugar, cornstarch, salt and milk (1 cup). Heat in double boiler. Beat egg yolks slightly with remaining milk. Add slowly to the hot milk, stirring constantly. Cook until mixture is thick and will coat a spoon (about 10 minutes). Remove from heat, add flavouring and cherries. Six servings.

CRUNCHY PEANUT COOKIES

1/2 cup shortening
 1 cup brown sugar
 1/2 teaspoon salt
 1 egg
 1/2 teaspoon vanilla
 1 cup sifted all-purpose flour
 OR 1 cup plus 2 tbsp. sifted pastry flour

1/4 teaspoon baking soda
 1/2 teaspoon baking powder
 1/2 cup cornflakes
 1 cup quick-cooking rolled oats
 1/2 cup peanuts (skins left on)
 Cream shortening, sugar and salt. Add egg and vanilla, and beat until creamy. Sift together the flour, soda and baking powder. Add cornflakes and rolled oats. Add dry ingredients to first mixture. Lastly add the peanuts. Drop by spoonfuls on a greased cookie sheet. Bake 350°F. for 15 minutes. Yield: 3 dozen cookies.

SWEETS? WHY NOT!

The sugar bowl is empty yet the family sweet tooth is still as much in evidence as ever. But why worry? Sweets are obtainable even today. Corn Toasties Marshmallow Bars are quickly and easily made and these tasty tid-bits touch the spot.

Marshmallow Bars

6 marshmallows, cut in eighths
 1 cup Corn Toasties
 1 package semi-sweet chocolate
 Line bottom of loaf pan, 8x4 inches, with waxed paper. Arrange marshmallows in pan and fill spaces between marshmallows with Toasties. Heat chocolate over boiling water until partly melted; then remove from boiling water and stir rapidly until entirely melted. Pour evenly over contents of pan and tap pan several times to settle chocolate. Let stand in cool place to harden. Cut in bars, 1x2 inches. Makes 16 bars.

Queen of Puddings
 2 cups stale bread crumbs
 1 quart scalded milk
 3 eggs
 1/2 cup sugar

Currant jelly or plum jam
 2 tablespoons sugar for meringue
 Soak the crumbs in the hot milk until soft; then add the egg yolks mixed with the sugar, pour into a baking dish set in a pan of water,

and bake in a slow oven (350°-350° F.) about an hour, or until custard is set. When cool, spread a thick layer of the jelly or jam over the top. Beat the egg whites until stiff, add the sugar gradually and beat until stiff, spread this meringue on top of the jam and place in the oven until a delicate brown. Serve hot or cold with cream.

DENTAL CARE

The Department of National Health and Welfare, Ottawa, joins in urging care of the teeth. It points out, in a recent bulletin, that the great majority of people are subject to dental caries. Dentists should be consulted at least twice a year in order that decay may be detected and checked in its incipient stages.

LOW FARES FOR CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S

ONE WAY FARE AND ONE-THIRD FOR ROUND TRIP (MINIMUM FARE, 90¢)



For Christmas
 GOING: Dec. 19, 20, 21, 22
 RETURNING: Leave destination up to Midnight, Dec. 26, or first available train.

For New Year's
 GOING: Dec. 30, 31, Jan. 1
 RETURNING: Leave destination up to Midnight, Jan. 2, 1947, or first available train.

For Entire Holiday Season

ONE WAY FARE AND ONE-HALF FOR ROUND TRIP (MINIMUM FARE, 90¢)

Full Information from Any Agent

GOING: Dec. 20 to Jan. 1, 1947
 RETURN: Leave destination up to Midnight, Jan. 7, 1947

CANADIAN NATIONAL

We have a limited number of sturdily made

Children's Sleighs

Steering and flat top. Ideal for Christmas Gifts

\$1.69 to \$3.29

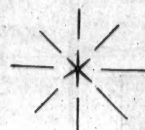
Many other gift suggestions.

Don't Miss Our Baby's Dept.

Wainwright 5c to \$5.00 Store

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Morgan.

MERRY · CHRISTMAS · 1946



This Christmas is a Good Christmas!

Beneath the lighted trees, eager children unwrap their precious gifts. In hearths from the Maritimes to British Columbia, warm fires glow. There is food on our tables, laughter in the air and happiness in our hearts.

Canada has earned this good Christmas, these good things. They are ours to enjoy because we have walked the middle road. We have kept our sense of values. We have been moderate in our pleasures... moderate in our spending... moderate in all things.

This Christmas is a good Christmas, and The House of Seagram is happy to share the joy of all Canadians as we and you this year say, "Merry Christmas."



THE HOUSE OF SEAGRAM

Saturday Listening

"Land of Let's Pretend"
 10:45 a.m.

"Wes McKnight"
 4:45 p.m.

"Modern Gypsies"
 6:00 p.m.

C.J.C.A.

9:30 On Your Dial

CANADA'S ORIGINAL
 AROMATIC
 PIPE TOBACCO

OLD CHUM

BLUE RIBBON
"The Quality"
COFFEE

PRESENTS
4 BOOKLETS FOR CHILDREN

Printed in four colours and fully illustrated, these books are obtainable ONLY with Blue Ribbon Coupons. Send coupons to the value of three pounds for each book; found in Blue Ribbon Tea, Coffee, Baking Powder and Cocoa. Specify book wanted by number: 1, 2, 3 or 4.



Thank You

May we take this opportunity of publically expressing our thanks to the Wainwright and district Board of Trade and the Wainwright Branch of the Canadian Legion for their very generous support given to the local Sea Cadet Unit, H.M.C.S. "Exeter". These organizations have given generously to a very worthy cause. Again we thank you.

OPL. D. BEECHING, Chairman
D. FEATHERSTONE-HAUGH, Lt.
of Sea Cadet Committee

Pasteurized Milk

Is The Only
Safe Milk

Davidson's Dairy

Phone 73

Wainwright



WAINWRIGHT HOTEL WELCOMES YOU
to a pleasant, restful stay while you happen to be in town.

★ FULLY MODERN
★ 60 ROOMS
★ COURTEOUS SERVICE

Wainwright Hotel Co. Ltd.
GUY FERGUSON, Mgr.



FARMING NOTES

By Prov. Dept. of Agriculture

PROFITABLE WAY TO

FEED WINTER STEERING
Profits from winter steer feeding are largely governed by the relative market value of steers in fall and spring with the cost of feed, labour and housing. Other factors to be considered include the selecting of good feeders and general management, says E. Van Nieu, Dominion Experimental Station, Scott, Sask. When feed grain is available at 1 to 1½ cents per pound and reasonable gains are obtained, a spread of two cents per pound between buying and selling prices gives a good profit. Long yearlings are usually fed from 150 to 160 days and calves approximately 200 days.

No horns should be allowed in the feed lot and dehorning trials at the Scott Station indicate that a steer dehorned at the beginning of the feeding period cannot be expected to make the total gains of a similar steer already dehorned, consequently in buying feeders horned cattle are not worth as much.

If only a few steers are to be fed, stall feeding is suggested, but if many are to be fed, lots of 10 to 20 are more satisfactory than larger groups. Water and salt should be kept constantly before the animals. The tank heater is valuable to take the chill from the water in cold weather so that plenty will be drunk. Loose salt for the animals is preferable to blocks. One to two pounds of feed per head daily, according to the size of the animal, is sufficient at first and increases or change of mixture should be made gradually.

In the trials at Scott, wheat, barley, rye and oat chop have been compared; each fed alone and a fifth lot was given a mixture of equal parts of each. In an average feeding period of 158 days, mixed grain gave the greatest average gain per head of 208 lb., wheat 202 lb., barley 188 lb., rye 185 lb., and oats 181 lb. A medium grind was found more satisfactory than finely ground grain.

Rye chop becomes quite pasty if finely ground and has a further disadvantage of frequently containing ergot which is harmful. Several roughages have been tested at Scott, including prairie hay, sunflower silage, western eye grass hay, oat sheaves and oat straw. Their general value for steers, when used with a full ration of chop, was in the order mentioned. It was also found that in seasons when a green second growth was in the oats before cutting, that the oat straw was more profitable to use than hay at a higher price. Normal oat straw containing no green growth was the least valuable of the roughages tested but reasonable profits have been realized by its use with a full grain ration when hay was not available at a normal price. From a half to one pound per day per head of linseed oil meal added to the chop during the last month of the feeding period improves the finish and coat appearance of feeder cattle.

THREE ROAD BRIDGES WILL COST \$400,000

Plans for the construction of three major highway bridges involving a cost of about \$400,000 have been outlined by the public works department according to officials of the Alberta Motor Association.

For some years the A.M.A. has been stressing the need of adequate bridge construction in the province, with proper approaches.

The province is to make an immediate start on building a five span steel highway bridge over the Old Man River, between Lethbridge and Medicine Hat. This is expected to cost \$300,000 and is regarded as a vital need for highway traffic taking that route.

Construction of piers already has commenced on the \$150,000 highway bridge on the Calgary highway, over the Red Deer River at Red Deer. It has been found impossible to complete the piers in time to permit stringing of steel this winter so this means that steel work will not be possible until low water conditions prevail next August. It is unlikely that the bridge can be opened to traffic before next fall.

Another project is the construction of a 100 foot steel bridge over the Blindman River on the Calgary highway between Red Deer and Ponoka. The road is being straightened in this sector.

HEALTH

A HEALTH SERVICE OF THE CANADIAN RED CROSS SOCIETY AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES IN CANADA

EXPERIENCE OF ALBERTA TOWN OF PONOKA PROVES PASTEURIZATION VALUE

Proof of the efficacy of pasteurization of milk is seen in a report received recently by Health League of Canada officials from the town of Ponoka in Alberta.

During a Canada-wide survey in connection with milk pasteurization, Ponoka officials reported a compulsory pasteurization by-law had been passed in the town in 1944 "following repeated outbreaks of undulant fever, and when it was found that two of the herds used in supplying milk to the town were seriously infected with Bang's disease." Bang's disease, or brucella abortus, in animals can lead to undulant fever, or brucellosis, in humans.

It was noted further that "since then no case of the disease has been reported."

From this report from Ponoka, it is obvious that pasteurization is a means of eliminating undulant fever—a disease the seriousness of which is not revealed in available statistics because of diagnostic difficulties. Undulant fever is a disease which does not show characteristic symptoms.

Nevertheless, undulant fever's toll can be cut through use of pasteurized milk, just as it has been proven that use of pasteurized milk has cut the toll from bovine tuberculosis, scarlet fever, septic sore throat, typhoid fever, paratyphoid and dysentery—all milk-borne diseases.

The example set by Ponoka and some other towns and cities is commendable and encouraging, but the problem of eliminating milk-borne diseases throughout Canada can be solved only through enactment by the various provincial legislatures of compulsory pasteurization legislation which covers all municipalities and other districts. Only then will the Dominion be assured of a milk supply which is 100 per cent safe. Ontario at present is the only province with compulsory pasteurization legislation in force.

GIVE

A 'Star' Subscription
This Christmas



The Greatest Gift
Is "Convenience"

THE "QUEEN RANGE" OIL BURNER

Installed in your present cook stove gives you the convenience of gas where there is no gas.

Uses winter grade diesel oil. Much more efficient at less cost.

Installation can be made by any qualified tinsmith, mechanic or handyman.

PRICE \$53.50

(Write for Dealer's proposition)

CRESCENT
FURNITURE CO. LTD.
The Store that Sets the Pace

10154 - 101st St.
EDMONTON, ALTA.

BURNS & Co. Ltd.

SHIP

HOGS

CATTLE ON
CONSIGNMENT
EVERY

WEDNESDAY
Get Bigger Returns
via

THE BURNS WAY
Agent—E. Bell
146—O 127—R

Candle Glow Is The
Symbol Of Friendship

We have a large display of
CHRISTMAS CANDLE CENTRE PIECES
in the gay log, pillars, Santa Boots and other attractive designs.

See our display of
VILUX CANDLE WARE

**Wainwright Studio
& Gift Shop**

FOR PROMPT

**TAXI
SERVICE**

Phone 41

GEO. JACKSON A. JORDE

We're Here To Help You

Keep Your Car or Truck
Running Efficiently
Until the New Models Arrive

EFFICIENT, ECONOMICAL PREVENTIVE
MAINTENANCE ON ALL MAKES OF VEHICLES
DRIVE IN TODAY

Buttalo Service Station
A. RATTRAY

PHONES - DAY 25 - NIGHT 89

WAINWRIGHT

HOTEL York Low Rates \$2.50
CALGARY
CENTRE ST. 7th Ave.
ALSO OPERATING
HOTEL ST. REGIS
DAILY FROM \$4.50 - WEEKLY and MONTHLY RATES

VISIT THE

Wainwright Hotel Cafe

for

Tasty, Nutritious Meals, served in pleasant surroundings

Clean and Courteous Service

now under management

of
FON PON

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED

Looking For A

Nice Place To Lunch

Visit our comfortable and pleasant restaurant.

The food is good and it is served in an appetizing manner.

HERO CAFE

Main Street

Wainwright

LIST YOUR FALL SALE

G. REYNOLDS WITH L. OXBLY
License No. 18-46-47 or License No. 25-46-47
Phones: 63, Wainwright or R910, Edgerton
Two good Auctioneers to give you greater returns on your sale.

SELL IT THROUGH "STAR" WANT ADS

FOR ALL YOUR
BAKING, INSIST ON

Robin Hood Flour

Milled from Washed Wheat

...choice of
4 out of 5 women who
win prizes for home baking





Come in and inspect our Display of

Christmas Gifts

COSMETICS NOTE-PAPER
CHRISTMAS CARDS

Wainwright Pharmacy

Phone 48 Wainwright

Christmas Gifts

G. E. CLEANER \$59.50
HOT POINT TOASTERS \$11.95
HOT POINT AUTOMATIC IRONS \$11.00
TOASTMASTERS \$24.00
ELECTRIC CLOCKS \$9.50 and up plus tax

RECORD PLAYERS
RADIOS — BATTERY AND ELECTRIC

TURNER ELECTRIC

Electrical Products and Service our Business;
Contractor Not a Side Line Delco Light

6 Shopping Days Left Until Xmas



Loads & Loads

Of Beautiful Gifts

FOR LAST MINUTE SHOPPING
CALL IN AT OUR STORE

A Few Suggestions

For Men and Boys

TIES
SCARVES
SUSPENDERS
GARTERS
GLOVES
WINDBREAKERS
PARKAS
CAPS and HATS
OVERCOATS

For Ladies and Girls

HANDBAGS
GLOVES
SLIPPERS
DRESSING GOWNS
COATS and FUR COATS
SNOW SUITS
ELITE BOOTS
LADIES HANDBAGS
English CHINAWARE

A. C. Armstrong Co.

Phone 16 Department Store Wainwright

NEWS & VIEWS OF TOWN AND DISTRICT

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. C. Lowe of Heath at the Wainwright municipal hospital on December 15th, a boy.

Send "The Star" as a Christmas gift, the gift that keeps giving all year round. We will gladly fill your orders and mail gift cards for you.

Mr. S. Robb is in Edmonton this week attending the convention being held there by the District Agriculturists. Mrs. Robb is visiting with her parent in Camrose.

Mrs. E. Bell and daughter Shirley spent a few days shopping in the city last week.

Misses Frances Carroll and Mary Hedlund were visitors to the city over the week-end.

After an extended holiday at the coast and in the States Mrs. S. Ryan and son Bruce returned home this week.

Mr. Ed. Turner was a tripper to the city on business for a few days recently.

Mr. Gregor McCluskey is around again after his recent stay in the hospital feeling much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Gray left last week to make their home in Edmonton. Mr. Gray having been transferred by the C.N.R. to that point.

We note in last week's issue of the Vermilion Standard the account of the wedding of Miss Noreen Williams and Mr. Grant Hetherington in Vermilion on Saturday, December 7th. Congratulations!

Mr. F. Lukens spent a few days visiting in Edmonton last week.

Mr. C. M. Scott, liaison officer from the W.P.F.B. Edmonton was in town last Thursday for his regular check up with the Local Ration Board.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles MacNeil spent the week-end visiting friends at Innisfail, Alberta, returning home on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Creighton Greer and children were visitors to the city between trains on Saturday last.

Mrs. Russell Smith (nee Beattie Carrell) was here from Davidson, Sask. for a few days last week visiting with her parents.

Mrs. E. Wilhelm left on Monday morning's train for San Diego, Cal., where she will spend the winter visiting with friends.

Mrs. E. Nordstrom was to spend the week-end with her son and his family there.

Mrs. C. Johns and son Charles are leaving the end of this week to spend Christmas with her sister, Mrs. D. Carl at Fortinab, Alberta.

The sale of home cooking and bazaar held last Saturday by the St. Thomas W.A. in the Parish Hall proved a real financial success, as well as a pleasant afternoon for those who attended.

The H.M.C.S. Nonsuch has sent films from Edmonton which will be shown to the Sea Cadets of H.M.C.S. Exeter at the parade Tuesday (to-night) evening by Cpl. Beeching. The sea cadets are invited to attend the second show as guests of the Elite theatre on Tuesday evening, also.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. Hodgkins, Sr. has been quite ill for some time and is still confined to his home.

Mr. F. Maddox is away in Winnipeg on a business trip this week.

The Canadian Legion and Ladies Auxiliary to the Legion

are sponsoring a

FREE SHOW

"Pinchie" for the Kiddies

New Years Afternoon

2:30 p.m.

All children welcome. Mothers may bring the tiny tots. 1-1

At The Churches

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN Minister, Rev. A. R. Hancock

"O Come let us worship the Lord our God."

Special Christmas Services

11:00 a.m.—Combined Diet of Praise

Subject: The Christmas Story

Members of the Sunday School are asked to note there will be no Sunday School-Christmas Sunday, but that all children are asked to attend the combined service of praise.

7:00 p.m.—Organ Recital of Familiar Carols.

7:30 p.m.—Candle-light Carol Service

Subject: "The Other Wise Man"

Season's Greetings and a cordial invitation extended to all.

Organized activities of the week as follows:

Monday 8:00 p.m.—Inter-church Young People's Society.

Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.—C.G.I.T.

Friday, 7:30 p.m.—Equestrians

Ladies Aid the second Tuesday of each month.

WAINWRIGHT GOSPEL MISSION

L.O.O.F. HALL

Sunday School—1:30 p.m.

Gospel Service—2:30 p.m.

Speaker: Mr. Grevett

Weekly Prayer Meeting

WAINWRIGHT PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

What you are speaks so loud, that no one hears what you say.

Sunday School 11:00 a.m.

Evening Service 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting 8:00 p.m.

Young Peoples Friday at 7:30 p.m.

Christmas Programme, Friday 7:30 p.m.

You will find a welcome.

REV. H. ROSENKE, Pastor

Is Your

CAR

Completely Winterized?

The cold weather time lies ahead. These points should be looked into and changes made.

Transmission & Differential oils changed to winter grade engine oils changed chassis greased ignition checked battery charged

This service is obtainable by experienced mechanics at—

Reynold's Garage

Wainwright Alberta

Surprise Shower For English Bride

A miscellaneous shower was held at the home of Mrs. A. Osgood on Sunday evening, December 15th, when about fifteen ladies of the C.W.L. under the sponsorship of Mrs. S. Welsh and Mrs. H. Ward, called and completely surprised their hostess.

A social evening was spent and after a delicious lunch was enjoyed by all present. Mrs. Welsh presented a basket of gifts in a few well chosen words and welcomed Mrs. Osgood to Wainwright wishing her every happiness in her new home.

McCafferty U.F.W.A.

The regular meeting of McCafferty U.F.W.A. was held at the Hall on December 10. The president, Mrs. L. A. Connolly was in the chair. There were 13 members and two visitors present. The meeting was opened with the singing of "Jingle Bells". Mrs. Fred McBride and Mrs. W. C. Taylor were appointed librarians.

They were asked to send to the University Library for a box of books. A letter of thanks for donation towards a wheel chair was read. Twenty dollars was voted for the Christmas tree fund. A letter from the U.F.W.A. director, Mrs. Taylor, was read. Mrs. L. A. Connolly was appointed delegate with Mrs. Bob Jackson as alternate. Plans were made to serve lunch at the Christmas tree. The women offered to help with the Christmas program. The following resolution was sent to Central Office, "Whereas, according to publicity in several monthly magazines the medical profession states that the solution used in giving 'cold wave' is dangerous to both operator and client. Therefore we ask that the Federal Government either refute these claims or ban the sale of cold wave kits and the giving of cold waves at beauty parlors."

The resolution being introduced at the convention were discussed. The U.F.W.A. will serve lunch at the Raffle Dinner being sponsored by the U.F.W.A. at the McCafferty Hall on December 27. After an exchange of Christmas presents lunch was served. The hostesses were Mrs. P. Mahoney, Mrs. Dick Nichols and Miss Jean Twetter.

Ladies Curling Draws

Friday, Dec. 27th, 9:00 to 11:00 p.m.:

Bond vs Glass

Lane vs Davison

McNally vs MacGregor

Saturday, Dec. 28, 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.:

Dundas vs Carter

Peterson vs Ganderton

Coffield vs Glasum

Friday, Jan. 2nd, 9:00 to 11:00 p.m.:

Glasum vs Ganderton

Dundas vs Peterson

Carter vs Coffield

Saturday, Jan. 4th, 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.:

Bond vs McNally

Lane vs MacGregor

Glass vs Davison

Clip and save these draws for reference.

OBTAIN \$6,000,000 IN MOTOR REVENUES

Alberta vehicle operators contributing largely of car owners contributed more than \$6,000,000 to the provincial treasury during the six months ended Sept. 30, according to official figures received by the Alberta Motor Association. This was an increase of more than \$71,000 over the similar period of the previous year.

The report shows that motor vehicle licenses amounted to \$2,403,980, or an increase of \$303,711. From the fuel oil or gasoline tax, the province took in \$2,853,422 which was \$271,422 more than in the similar period of 1945. The higher revenue is ascribed to higher registrations and increased sales, respectively.

In the same period, the report shows that capital payments on roads and bridges amounted to \$2,044,910 an increase of \$1,330,507 over the previous year's period. In addition, \$233,108 was spent from the post-war reconstruction fund on the Grimshaw-Great Slave Lake winter road.

The report will be discussed at the annual meeting of the A.M.A. to be held in Edmonton Dec. 7 when it is expected that renewed demands will be made for greater road expenditures.

Elite Doings For The Month of December

Dec. 23-24—"A Sailer Takes A Wife"

Dec. 25-26—"The Green Years" award winner"

Dec. 27-28—"Weekend at the Waldorf"

Dec. 30-31—"Crackup"

If You Are Planning An AUCTION SALE

Now Is The Time To Book Your Dates With

S. R. Bowerman

License No. 245-45-46

Gardner N Boyd

License No. 177-46-47

EDDIES' FOOD MARKET

HOUSE OF SERVICE

FOR SERVICE

PHONE 18

SPECIALS DEC. 19th TO 24th Incl.

Frys Hot Chocolate, 2 lbs. 98c
Frys Cocoa, 16 oz. 33c
Neilson's Chocolate Cocoa, 16 oz. 29c
Maple Leaf Cake Flour 29c
Swans Down Cake Flour 33c
Tulip Baking Cups, large, 2 for 25c
Catelli Quality Noodles, 14 oz., 2 for 25c
Shreddies, 10 oz., 2 for 24c
Grapefruit Juice, 20 oz. 16c
(limited quantity Thursday only)
King Choice Tomatoes, 28 oz. 22c

Christmas Specials

TOYS

Sleighs

Wagons

Skis

Dolls

Hockey Gloves

Hockey Sticks

Childrens Table & Chairs

Baby Sleds

Pyrex

Presto Cookers

Dinner Sets

Fancy Cups and Saucers

Coleman Lamps

Irons

Toasters

Buckles Hardware

EVERYTHING IN HARDWARE

Phone 66

Wainwright Alberta

It's A Fact

Patterson's Value Your Friendship



MIXED FRUIT 33c

TANGERINES 48c

MIXED NUTS 48c

DELICIOUS APPLES \$3.25

HERRING in tomato sauce 2 for 39c

TIES

FELT BOOTS

MOCCASINS

SWEATERS

PARKAS

PANTS

INDIAN

BLANKETS

CORN MEAL 75c

WHEATLETS 33c

6 SOUP 69c

BABY FOOD 3 for 25c

PRUNES 2 lbs. 35c

FREY'S HOT CHOCOLATE 98c

MEN'S GIFTS

Ladies GIFTS

SOCKS

OVERALLS

SHIRTS

TOYS

DOLLS

Patterson's
DEPARTMENTAL STORE
Visit Our Grocery Department



XMAS NEWS

FOR

Late Shoppers

CHRISTMAS GIFT SUGGESTIONS

FOR MEN AND BOYS

SKATES

HOCKEY EQUIPMENT

BASEBALL GLOVES

TENNIS RACKETS

GOLF BAGS

TOOL GRINDER

SPEED DRILL

Card Table
& Chair Set

SMOKING STANDS

ELECTRIC TRAINS

CIGARETTE LIGHTERS

12 GAUGE PUMP SHOT GUN

22 WINCHESTER RIFLE

DAISY AIR RIFLES

CONSTRUCTION SETS

FOR LADIES AND GIRLS

CAKE PLATES

ODD CUPS & SAUCERS



PYREX WARE

LUNCHEON SETS

WOODEN HOSTESS TRAYS

SERVING TRAYS



Electric Irons

Colorful Wall

Plaques

CORY COFFEE MAKERS

BEAUTIFULLY FRAMED PICTURES

CHEST OF SILVER WARE

Ryan & Mitchell
HARDWARE

See Our Toy
DisplayMany other
items not list-
ed above

PROFESSIONAL

David J. Gibson
COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS
Farm Loans — Land Transfers
City, Truck & Chauffeur's License
Help With Income Tax Forms, Etc.
1st. Ave. E., Opposite Pool Elevators

Adeline Rebekah Lodge

No. 84, I.O.O.F.

Meets every 1st and 3rd Thursday
evenings at Odd Fellows' Hall at
8:00 p.m.

Visiting Members Always Welcome

MRS. ROSSIE TAYLOR, N.G.

MRS. N. HUNTINGFORD, R.S.

MRS. D. DUNDAS, F.S.

MRS. W. G. McCLUSKEY, Treas.

DR. O. S. HAUCK
DENTAL SURGEON

Billings Block Phone 227

LEGAL

J. A. MacKENZIE, K.C.
BARRISTER, SOLICITOR &
NOTARY PUBLIC

Main Street — Wainwright

M. G. CARDELL
BARRISTER — SOLICITOR
Notary Public, Commissioner

Billings Block — Main Street

Child Welfare Clinic
for infants & pre-school children
Examination & Immunization

Held the 2nd Thursday of each month
in Office of the Public Health Nurse
from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Office Hours—9:00 to 12:00 every
Saturday morning

Furniture Gifts Are Really Appreciated



END TABLES and COFFEE TABLES
STUDIO LOUNGES and CHAIR
TRILIGHTS BEDROOM SUITES
TABLE and PIN-UP LAMPS
MIRRORS

F. E. McLeod & Co.

AGENTS FOR GOBLIN CLEANER

Phone 14 and 104

Wainwright



Smart New Ski Jackets

In a favorite new long belted style also regular short
styles made from pure wool. Blanket Cloth. Designed for
action and long service in two-toned effects of winter
white with wine, copenhagen and Mountain red.

We have a lovely variety of gifts for Milady. Blouses
are a gift sure to please—lovely crepes, sheers and spuns
in a complete range of sizes from 12 to 42.

Mary Ganderton

Fashion Shoppe

Wainwright

Showing At The Elite

Friday & Saturday December 20-21

"WILSON"

SUPER SPECIAL IN TECHNOLOGOL

Alexander Knox, Geraldine Fitzgerald, Charles Coburn,

and hundreds of others

Monday & Tuesday December 23-24

"A SAILOR TAKES A WIFE"

COMEDY

Robert Walker and June Allyson

Wednesday & Thursday December 25-26

"THE GREEN YEARS"

SPECIAL AWARD PICTURE

Charles Coburn, Tom Drake and Beverly Tyler

Mr. and Mrs. Phil May and family take this opportunity

in wishing their friends A Merry Christmas.

Gift Theatre Tickets

Now On Sale

Your friends will appreciate a present of Gift Tickets

from the Elite.

G.T.F. SHIPPING ASSOCIATION

Ship Your Livestock
the Co-op way & receive the
full market price.

Every Friday or by arrange-
ment, Contact your local
agent.

J. Steenson Phone 261-r

GIVE HER A

Gift Certificate

from

The Beauty Box

This Christmas

that will entitle her to one
of our superior permanents.

Phone 130

ICE CREAM

LIGHT LUNCHEONS

Hamburgers—Our Speciality

HOT DOGS

The Coffee Spot

in the Billings Block

EVA KOCH, Prop.

The man out for his own ends

winds up at a dead end.

Rosemoyne U.F.W.A.

The December meeting of the
Rosemoyne U.F.W.A. was held at
the home of Mrs. S. V. Snyder. The
president Mrs. S. Snyder, was in the
chair. Eleven members and two visit-
ors were present.

The meeting opened by singing a
few Christmas carols. Mrs. T. Jack-
son won the hostess prize. Mrs. S.
Snyder was appointed as delegate to
the Annual Convention to be held in
Calgary from the 14th to 17th inclu-
sive. An exchange of Christmas gifts
was made.

After the meeting a delicious lunch
was served by the hostess. The next
meeting will be held at the home of
Mrs. D. Pawsey.

Buy War Savings Certificates

CLASSIFIED ADS.

CLASSIFIED ADVT RATES
50c for first insertion, 3 inser-
tions for \$1.00. Maximum num-
ber of words—25. Additional
word 2c for first insertion, 10c
each subsequent insertion.

FOR SALE

12 ft. Self-Propelled Cockshutt com-
bine, cut 300 acres. See Ken Ken-
nedy, phone 1904 or R. H. Kennedy,
Vermilion R.R. 2. (18-12)

New Remington Portable Typewriter
for sale, obtainable at Wainwright
Pharmacy, Phone 46. (1-1)

1/4 hp. electric motor, 110 volt for
sale, also steel mangle frame suit-
able for power saw frame. May be
seen at—The Star Laundry. (1-1)

Complete set of taps and drums for
sale, also other accessories. Apply
Star Office.

One 5 year old registered bull for
sale or will trade for similar ani-
mal. Apply W. Adams, Phone
R-806.

1/2 section farm for sale in good soil
district, 18 miles east of Camrose
for sale. 2 acre house and several
good buildings; windmill and ex-
cellent soil water well; 260 acres
cultivated, 120 in fallow; 1 mile
from gravelled road. Cash \$7,500.
—See David Gibson, 1st Ave. East,
opposite Pool Elevators, Phone 220
(1-1)

Lots 1 to 6, Block 68, Plan 5712AD
for sale by tender; tenders will be
received to January 10th. These lots
are all cultivated and fenced. —
Apply Box 396, Wainwright.

Small circular gas heater for sale.
Phone 282, Wainwright. 26-12

WANTED

Used portable typewriter in good
condition. Apply Star Office. x

OPPORTUNITIES

Around Wainwright—opportunity for
a reliable man to sell Rawleigh
Products. No experience needed to
start—Write today, Rawleigh's
Dept.

WG-1-108-189 Winnipeg, Canada.
(21-12)

COMING EVENTS

West End Community Club will
sponsor a Christmas novelty dance on
Friday, December 20th, when draws
will be made for the doll and hockey
oufit. Lunch served. Ganderton or-
chestra. Admission \$1.50 a couple. 18-12

Wainwright Radio Service

Now Open For
Business

G. A. WEAR

Wainwright Pharmacy

Phone 46 for Pick-up

WANTED

"Graduate Nurse wanted
immediately at the Wain-
wright municipal hospital.
Salary \$110.00 per month,
6 days a week; 8 hour day.
Two weeks holiday with pay
after one year's service.

Apply

MATRON or

25-12 SEC. OF HOSPITAL

Men Wanted

for

Work in sawmill and bush

Experience not necessary

Carroll Bros Lumber Co. Ltd

Winfield, Alberta

Write, wire or phone R103

(25-12)

M.D. Meeting

Continued from Page 1

Moved by Mr. Archibald that the
report of Mr. Gilling and the Hester
Pond drainage, H. C. Driver's
pound, horse impounded by H. Cas-
per, that the damage of \$400 per
head is excessive and that the damage
should be placed at \$250 per head
and no cost to either party, be
accepted. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Smale that with
reference to Motion No. 263 of Novem-
ber 14, 1946, the location of the
pound kept by Mr. Henry Tondus
shall be on the N¹/₂ 6-47-5-4. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Archibald that the
report of Mr. Dallyn and Mr. Taylor
re buildings on the NW 14-43-1-4 that
same should not be sold but moved
into Ribstone to house a Motor Grader,
be accepted and that the commis-
sioner report when said building has
been moved to its new location. Carried.

By-Law No. 170 concerning the
sale of the S¹/₄ of SW 28-45-2-4 to
Dorothy E. Christian for \$213.43
being the amount paid to the former
M.D. of Merton No. 451 under Agree-
ment of Sale dated November 2nd,
1928, presented.

By-Law No. 170 received its three
readings in regular form.

By-Law No. 180 concerning the
sale of the SW 13-44-5-4 as a direct
sale back to the previous owner J. A.
Touche for \$745.80, presented.

By-Law No. 180 then received its
three readings in regular form.

Matters re NW 4-44-9-4, SE 37-
48-2-4, E¹/₂ SE 19-45-5-4 tabled until
the January meeting.

By-Law No. 181 concerning the
sale of the N¹/₂ SW 3-45-7-4 as a sale
back to the previous owner Mr. R.
Cowell for \$110.36 presented.

By-Law No. 181 then received its
three readings in regular form.

Secretary advised Mr. Heaton that
the NW 28-45-2-4 is not for sale at
the present time.

Moved by Mr. Smale that in the
matter of Divisional allocations 1946
Public Works the average cost per
hour of Motor Graders be deducted
from the average amount charged
per hour, the balance after deducting
the amount overpaid on repairs in
the 1946 estimated expenditures to
be credited to the divisional balances
having regard for the number of
hours that the Motor Graders work-
ed in each division. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Smale that the
Council order sufficient chain for
tire chains for the No. 12 Motor
Grader. Carried.

Secretary was instructed to write
the Provincial Government asking
them if they will know plough
road south from the Highway into
the Village of Edgerton as same is
used as a bus route and by the Doc-
tors from the Wainwright Clinic.

Moved by Mr. Sutherland that the
cheque for \$500.00 from the Impe-
rial Oil Producing Department, Cal-
gary, to compensate damage done to
Municipal Roads North and South
of Irnk by heavy truck travel, be
accepted and this amount credited to
Division 7 allocations for the year
of release be completed by the
Municipal officials. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Smale that this
Council order for proper lubricating
oil for the use in motor graders for
the 1947 season.

Moved by Mr. Sutherland that the
Pay Sheets amounting to \$4,583.19
be passed and paid when signed by
the Councilors.

In the absence of F. W. Maddek,
Field Supervisor, written report
of November activities was read by
the Secretary.

Moved by Mr. Sutherland that the
report be accepted as written and
filed for reference. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Smale that a Rotat-
ing Fund Trust Account amounting to
\$1000.00 be set up in a special fund
as recommended by the Agricul-
tural Service Board for the purchase of
Grain and Grass Seed to be sold on
a cash basis to ratepayers in the
District. Carried.

(Mr. Archibald dissenting)

Moved by Mr. Dallyn that this
Council recommend to the Depart-
ment of Trade and Industry, Govern-
ment of Alberta, that T. D. Beattie
be granted a license to sell the pro-
ducts of Watkins and Co., within the
Municipal District. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Dallyn that the
application form for a Miscellaneous
Recreational Lease for PC SW 17-
43-2-4 be completed and application
submitted.

fees and rental forwarded with said
application. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Dallyn that the
Chairman Chronicle print the 1946
Auditors Report and Financial State-
ment of the Municipal District, num-
ber required to be left with the
Secretary-Treasurer.

Moved by Mr. Spencer that Coun-
cil adjourn.

THE WORLD OF FOODSTUFFS
The French zone of Germany's
bread grain harvest is placed at
89,000 tons, sufficient to last approxi-
mately six months, and imports of
275,000 tons will be necessary to ful-
fill requirements. —There is a shortage
of bread grains in parts of Italy and
without imports rationing may not be
met in these areas.

The Burmese rice crop is estimated
at 4,400,000 tons and will provide an
exportable surplus of one million
tons which is double that of last
year—India expects to receive some
80,000 tons of barley and 20,000 tons
of wheat from purchases made by
Britain in Turkey.

fees and rental forwarded with said
application. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Dallyn that the
Chairman Chronicle print the 1946
Auditors Report and Financial State-
ment of the Municipal District, num-
ber required to be left with the
Secretary-Treasurer.

Moved by Mr. Spencer that Coun-
cil adjourn.

TO OUR CUSTOMERS
A Patronage Dividend will be paid to our customers on
deliveries of wheat, oats, barley, flax and rye made to our
elevators during the crop season July 1st,
1945, to June 30th, 1946.

IN ADDITION, it is our intention to pay a
Patronage Dividend on deliveries of wheat,
oats, barley, flax and rye to our elevators
during the present season if the earnings of
the Company will permit.

**DELIVER YOUR GRAIN TO
A.P. ELEVATORS**

The Alberta Pacific Grain Co. (1943) Ltd.

ALBERTA
PACIFIC

ALBERTA
PACIFIC

ALBERTA
PACIFIC

ALBERTA
PACIFIC

ALBERTA
PACIFIC

ALBERTA
PACIFIC

ALBERTA
PACIFIC

ALBERTA
PACIFIC

Fire Proofing Christmas Trees

Christmas trees of themselves may
be fire hazards. Freshly cut
trees do not ignite easily they soon
become dry and constitute a fire
hazard on account of the amount of
resinous substances they contain. At
the same time, the danger of fire
may be obviated, if not entirely pre-
vented, through chemical treatment.
On the other hand, Christmas trees
are marveled rapidly after being
cut, so that chemical treatment is
not always practicable.

However, it has been proved that
the wood and pine needles of Chris-
mas trees may be made fire-resistant
if treated as soon as possible after
the tree has been cut down. Freshly
cut trees have a water absorbing
power which permits the introduc-
tion of other calcium chloride or
ammonium sulphate into the tree in
solution form.

The method is as follows: the stem
of the tree is freshly sawed, prefer-
ably at an oblique angle or "v"
shape and placed in a receptacle con-
taining the solution and left in a
room of moderate temperature (50
to 60 degrees Fahrenheit), until the
tree is to be used. The quantity of
the chemical required, either of the
calcium chloride or the ammonium
sulphate, should equal one-quarter of
the weight of the tree. Dissolve the
chemical in water at the rate of 1 1/2
pints per pound of chemical. The
degree of fire resistance depends on
the amount of the solution taken up
by the tree, and freshly cut trees
respond readily to treatment, the
quantity of the chemical absorbed
varying with the freshness of the
tree. A properly treated tree will
not burn even when exposed to a
large flame.

World Of Wheat

**PROPOSED REDUCED WHEAT
ACREAGE**

The Hon. Jas. G. Gardiner is ask-
ing for a reduction in wheat acreage
of 10 percent for the coming year.
His request is based on the fact that
a larger output of grain and livestock
production.

Food authorities inform us that
the need for food in Europe is bad
indeed, to say nothing of the need in
Asia where the shortage is even more
acute. An acre put into wheat will
feed four times as many people as
will the same acre sown to coarse
grains, and where the coarse grains
are fed to livestock.

Russet a short time ago hurried
some of his sharp critics to the
United States and Canada, be-
cause these countries last year fed
so much grain to livestock instead of
making the grain itself available to
the hungry people of the world.

A despatch from Vienna tells us
that unless considerable assistance is
given to Austria, that country will
be unable to avoid real famine in
1947.

Considering the urgent need for
more world food, can Canada justify
a reduction in wheat acreage, which
certainly must result in smaller
supplies of total food being available
for a hungry world? This is the point
to which it seems the Dominion Pro-
vincial Conference now sitting will
have to give most serious thought.

THE WORLD OF FOODSTUFFS
The French zone of Germany's
bread grain harvest is placed at
89,000 tons, sufficient to last approxi-
mately six months, and imports of
275,000 tons will be necessary to ful-
fill requirements. —There is a shortage
of bread grains in parts of Italy and
without imports rationing may not be
met in these areas.

The Burmese rice crop is estimated
at 4,400,000 tons and will provide an
exportable surplus of one million
tons which is double that of last
year—India expects to receive some
80,000 tons of barley and 20,000 tons
of wheat from purchases made by
Britain in Turkey.

fees and rental forwarded with said
application. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Dallyn that the
Chairman Chronicle print the 1946
Auditors Report and Financial State-
ment of the Municipal District, num-
ber required to be left with the
Secretary-Treasurer.

Moved by Mr. Spencer that Coun-
cil adjourn.

World Of Wheat

**PROPOSED REDUCED WHEAT
ACREAGE**

The Hon. Jas. G. Gardiner is ask-
ing for a reduction in wheat acreage
of 10 percent for the coming year.
His request is based on the fact that
a larger output of grain and livestock
production.

Food authorities inform us that
the need for food in Europe is bad
indeed, to say nothing of the need in
Asia where the shortage is even more
acute. An acre put into wheat will
feed four times as many people as
will the same acre sown to coarse
grains, and where the coarse grains
are fed to livestock.

Russet a short time ago hurried
some of his sharp critics to the
United States and Canada, be-
cause these countries last year fed
so much grain to livestock instead of
making the grain itself available to
the hungry people of the world.

A despatch from Vienna tells us
that unless considerable assistance is
given to Austria, that country will
be unable to avoid real famine in
1947.

Considering the urgent need for
more world food, can Canada justify
a reduction in wheat acreage, which
certainly must result in smaller
supplies of total food being available
for a hungry world? This is the point
to which it seems the Dominion Pro-
vincial Conference now sitting will
have to give most serious thought.

THE WORLD OF FOODSTUFFS
The French zone of Germany's
bread grain harvest is placed at
89,000 tons, sufficient to last approxi-
mately six months, and imports of
275,000 tons will be necessary to ful-
fill requirements. —There is a shortage
of bread grains in parts of Italy and
without imports rationing may not be
met in these areas.

The Burmese rice crop is estimated
at 4,400,000 tons and will provide an
exportable surplus of one million
tons which is double that of last
year—India expects to receive some
80,000 tons of barley and 20,000 tons
of wheat from purchases made by
Britain in Turkey.

fees and rental forwarded with said
application. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Dallyn that the
Chairman Chronicle print the 1946
Auditors Report and Financial State-
ment of the Municipal District, num-
ber